

**The Bureau of Justice Assistance
and
The National Center for State Courts**

are pleased to announce the **Drug Court Evaluation Training Workshop**

June 15-16, Southfield, Michigan

The purpose of Drug Court Evaluation Training Workshops is to assist operating drug courts in designing, planning, and implementing an evaluation of the operation and/or effectiveness of their program.

Each of the Evaluation Training Workshops will be interactive in nature and contain three tracks so that each drug court team can select the curriculum that is most closely linked to its court's current evaluation needs. The tracks will focus on the following three areas of evaluation:

Track A General overview of drug court evaluation concepts and strategies,

Track B Conducting an internal drug court evaluation/monitoring the drug court, and

Track C Using an external drug court evaluator.

Overall Target Audience

This workshop is designed for teams (e.g., three) drug court professionals from a particular drug court. It is anticipated that potential team members may include the following: drug court coordinator, person charged with conducting/overseeing the drug court evaluation, and drug court judge. Also, a drug court may want to consider including someone on its team who is responsible for presenting evaluation findings to funding sources in order to secure non-Federal funds (e.g., county commissioner, clerk of courts, etc.). The team composition will vary depending upon the interests and needs of the drug court professionals in a given drug court.

To Register - Visit <<http://www.ncscsurveys.org/BJA/register.shtml>> Registration will be open until two weeks before the workshop.

Travel and Lodging - All travel and lodging costs will be the responsibility of the participant. **Specific Hotel information will be available shortly.**